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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re patent application of:

Applicant: Elena Lemberg-Meloul  
Serial No: 09/302,927  
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Title: CLAPPING METHOD AND SYSTEM  
Examiner: Justine Yu  
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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 13, 2000 AND  
PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement, the invention of Group II (claims 9-11) is hereby elected.

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time. The Office is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee to Deposit Account No. 18-0988 under Attorney Docket No. JMBDP0103US.

Respectfully submitted,

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